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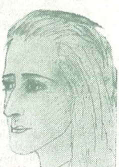
THE HOMES AND RETREATS OF THE MASTERS OF WISDOM

THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS' RETREAT

FROM JUNE 15 TO JULY 14, 1952



SERAPIS BEY
Hierarch of Luxor, Honorary Presiding Master of the Year

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Twice each year, in January and July, the combined Brotherhood of Masters, Devic Lords, Angels and Men meet together to consult with the Lords of Karma, The Silent Watcher, and the Lord of the World, on the Divine Plan for the planet earth, her people and the nature kingdom for the twelve month cycle. At these Councils, The Divine Plan for the year is given to The Brotherhood through The Silent Watcher, and its ramifications distributed by Sanat Kumara to the Retreats and Masters particularly endowed with the talents and powers required to most powerfully effect its fulfillment.

The Lords of Karma are enthroned in a semi circle above the Great Altar which forms the Central Focus of Power for the Meetings. Sanat Kumara, Lord Maitreya, and the Presiding Master for the Year occupy the Central Position on the Rostrum. For 1952, The Master Serapis Bey holds this Honorary Position. The Great White Brotherhood in order of rank, are seated facing the Spiritual Altar, with their chelas behind Them. In the atmosphere float the inner bodies of great numbers of the human race, attracted by the Magnetic Power drawn and focused here at this time.

The Silent Watcher, who has access to the deepest centers of the God Mind and Heart, directs the Predominant Thought Form for the year into the Chalice of Sanat Kumara's Upheld Consciousness. Sanat Kumara then projects this Thought Form into the atmosphere se that it is visible to the entire Council. This Symbol contains within itself the Message which will be the motivation of the endeavors of the Entire Brotherhood, through their individual talents, for the twelve month cycle.

In January, 1952, the Divine Thought Form received by Sanat Kumara was a Golden Sheaf of Wheat, representing the Harvest of endeavors, talents, service of The Brothers, and each individual soul as well. Each Master interprets the Design, which is The Plan for the year, according to His specific activities in the Cause of Good, and—even for the unascended mankind present—the significance of bringing in his individual sheaves provided thoughtful contemplation of the seeds sown, and the possible harvest.

At the completion of the Projection of the Divine Thought Image by Sanat Kumara, every member of the Council recreated the Sheaf of Wheat through his own thought and feeling centers, and at a given moment directed it powerfully into the mental and feeling world of all mankind. From the heart of the mountain, literally millions of miniature sheaves of wheat were catapulted into the atmosphere of the people of earth, carrying within them the fiat of the year from the Heart of God.

After the delegation of the work for the year and the projection of the thought forms, the Seven Lords of Karma hear the petitions and suggestions of the Masters, human beings, and representatives of the Angelic, Devic and Nature Kingdoms, and pass upon them. Every Retreat, Individual Master and human being, is allowed the opportunity of presenting before the Karmic Lords and the Council, such plans, petitions or proposed endeavors as they have conceived as possible aids to mankind's evolution. It is entirely within the discretion of the Lords of Karma as to whether such dispensations, grants, and plans are practicable at a given Cosmic Hour. It is required of such a Petitioner or Sponsor to not only show cause as to how the investment of additional substance and energy required to further His Plan will permanently benefit the race, but further to present to the Lords of Karma voluntary energies contributed from the race to be benefited, who will aid His Cause according to their capacities and evolution. The Master usually endeavors during the early evenings of the Meetings to interest individuals, elementals and other Masters too, who will stand with Him before the Karmic Council and offer their energies, time and unconditional support and talents to such a Proposed Beneficial Endeavor. The Lords of Karma weigh in the balance the specific good that can be accomplished, the potential workers, and the amount of substance and energy that will have to be contributed from the Universal Storehouse to further such a Cause, and their Findings determine the extent of their grant.

Many individuals volunteer to assist several distinct movements, and good people are sometimes amazed at the activity in which they find themselves engaged, for they are not always cognizant of their volunteering to assist the Masters, while functioning in the greater freedom of their inner bodies. It is well, therefore, to pray that you may live up to your inner pledges and to your own light.

From the 15th day of June until the 14th day of July, the Half-Yearly Council will be held in the Great Retreat established in the Rocky Mountains, upon the location where mankind first incarnated in their pilgrimage through the planet earth. Up to the 30th day of June, the Masters and The Brotherhood in general will be engaged in the preliminary councils during which various proposed plans are presented in order to secure the interest and cooperation of as many individuals as possible. The Karmic Lords sit from June 30th through July 5th, and the remaining days are dedicated to the delegation of powers.

It will be to the great interest of the race, The Council, and The Brotherhood, to have as many members of the human race present in their inner bodies as possible, in order that every Plan, Petition and Dispensation requested by the Guardians of the Human Race may be backed by the voluntary support of the peoples of earth, who will of couse be the greatest beneficiaries.

¡Your Co-Operation, Please!

In order to send your consciousness to the Council Meetings, it is necessary to think of the Retreat before entering sleep, and to direct your attention toward it, because your inner body will move along the ray of your attention to these meet

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"WHAT YE HEAR IN THE EAR, THAT PREACH YE UPON THE HOUSETOPS" —Jesus. (Mat 10:27)

The Masters of Wisdom Speak on
The Receptive Consciousness

MAHA CHOHAN:

The Truth never changes. It is only the evolving consciousness of the individual which is enabled to discern greater or lesser detail in that truth which seems to indicate a conflict. The capacity to perceive the true nature of God, His Universe, and His Creation is developed through the consecrated dedication of the life energy to such perception. Those individuals who have so consecrated their lives to a detailed, honest, persistent and consecutive search for truth have come upon it. Some have graduated from the realm of the Seekers and have become the Authority—the Law themselves. By merit, They are invested with the right to dispense truth to those interested in finding it. It is to These Beings that mankind must look, if they desire an applicable knowledge of the Laws of Universal Life and Progress and the way and means by which man may hasten his evolution through entering into the understanding and application of those laws.

MORYA EL:

It is apparent that the specialists in whom mankind put their faith and trust have dedicated a goodly portion of their lives and fortunes in the endeavor to understand the particular subject whose revelations they will incorporate in their chosen life work. These specialists form the directing authority in their chosen fields and mankind rely upon their directives in their groping endeavors to maintain the body's life and the soul's hope. It is time NOW that the Spiritual Hierarchy, who through similar dedication of their life purpose have become Masters of particular aspects of God's expression, be brought to the attention of the thinking members of the human race and given Their Rightful Positions as dispensers of truth, God directives and general progression toward Race Maturity.

Maha Chohan

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KUTHUMI:

The transference of consciousness from one mind to another is known as education. The full, revealed truth remains ever-present in the Universal Mind of God but the individualized intelligence of God's Children must reach into this Great Mind and incorporate into his own consciousness so much of the Great All Truth as he has the capacity to absorb and realize. Every man dips into the Well of Knowledge with his own cup of receptivity and benefits by his capacity to receive. It is a spiritual communion. The Teacher is one whose Cup has grown through many trips to the Well, and He gives of its brimming essence to those not yet able to reach the Cosmic Brim. Even in elemental courses of education the Teacher first fills his consciousness and then gently holds his cup of knowledge that the pupil may sip of its sweetness, become enamoured of its essence, and return again to the Teacher's fount until —perhaps—they are among the very few who will join the teacher at the Cosmic Well. Those who will not drink are never increased in worth. Blessed be Those who stir the spiritual hunger, and blessed be Those who feed the hungry.

VENETIAN:

The sharing of individual consciousness is the sweet communion of true Friendship and Brotherhood. Those who have become the Guardians and Teachers of the human race can only serve mankind as They can pour Their Understanding and Knowledge of Life and Truth into the receptive consciousness of attentive men. Those who serve Us must make mankind aware of Our Presence. We must first be accepted and acknowledged. Then through the natural communion of Our Consciousness will the Universal Brotherhood of Free and Aspiring Beings be Achieved.

SERAPIS BEY:

A Bridge is a span which connects two separate forms. For God's Mind and Will and Purpose to be effected in the world of men. Those of Us who are the Bridge Builders must create and sustain a link over which the God directives may enter the conscious minds of receptive men, without possibility of error, and motivate their active expression of that Divine Will. The Higher Self of Everyman is One in Consciousness with Our Service, but how many men have a constant and unbroken connection with that Directive Self? Until this millennium is achieved, the Hierarchy must serve as the Directors of the God Will for evolving mankind. Everywhere we can convince a human being of Our Existence and Authoritative Power to help them, we have a potential span of Our Unifying Energies and across this electrical current We shall endeavor to send specific and powerful spiritual currents and radiation to strengthen our point of contact with the world of form. We are The Bridge Builders and you are the focus for Our Endeavors to connect with the mind, the thought, the consciousness of all men.

HILARION:

If the mind of man is not specifically acquainted with any subject, it does not exist for him... it does not live in his consciousness. Many individuals live and die without allowing the intricacies of calculus or Greek to enter their conscious minds or worlds. Others proceed without contact with spiritual values. The endeavor of true education is to stimulate interest on any given subject and precipitate the student into independent investigation when he has exhausted the known facts previously discovered in that particular subject. Among the many, very, very few choose to step into the unknown and force Truth to draw back her veil, revealing more of the Light of Her Presence upon his field of exploration. These Few have been the benefactors of the race and the great majority rest content in their hard earned findings. Those who have gone far along the Spiritual Path have also left a Heritage. Today Their Findings are the prized possessions of the Few. One day, Their Gifts will be the common heritage of all men.

"BLESSED IS HE THAT READETH... FOR THE TIME IS AT HAND"—Rev. 1:3

JESUS:

The ceremony of communion was created to symbolize the conferring of the Christ Consciousness of Truth upon the disciple by the Master. Consciousness of one being enters the world of another through benediction, radiation, or through the individual mind by the avenue of the senses of sight, hearing and thought transference—audible or silent. Man is constantly interchanging consciousness in daily living. It is the endeavor of the Spiritual Hierarchy to reach the consciousness of mankind and enrich the daily experience of life by such communion. Through the strength of the Christian Dispensation, I have been particularly fortunate in the receptive consciousness of great numbers of the human race in my endeavors along this line. However, the gifts of the Universal God Mind are so infinite and so diversified that much of their blessings are denied expresion through lack of recognition of My Brothers and Sisters. Who work hand in hand with Me in God's Kingdom. Would that the tenets of Brotherhood which true Christians Emulate in their earthly affairs, could be incorporated into their Tolerant acceptance of the Divine Brotherhood of the Spiritual Sons of Heaven.

SAINT GERMAIN:

The participation of human beings in ceremonials designed to invoke and direct spiritual energies from the Higher Spheres into the atmosphere and consciousness of mankind forms one of the most powerful Bridges over which spiritual stimuli may radiate into the affairs of men. These spiritual energies dissipate destructive forces and set up new causes which will have a benefical effect upon evolving humanity and the planet itself. The designing of these magnetic ceremonials, the training of pupils who are particularly equipped to conduct these energies, and the gradual cultivation of a conscious association and dedication of personal energies among members of the human race, the Angelic and Devic Kingdoms, and the Master Beings who are the authority over our universe, forms the particular service which it is my privilege to render to God through man.

Ceremonial has been attacked as paganistic worship, but the magnetizing of energies directed toward specific, constructive service has been proven by science as of great import to the race. It is merely the intricacies of such magnetism that are not understood by the outer mind... Yet, scientifically performed ceremonials are to become the Religion of the New Day, coupling spiritual and physical energies to good purpose.

YOUR CO-OPERATION

You accept that there are specialists in medicine, in law and in other fields of human endeavor, and you recommend them to your friends in need of their services. Why not accept that the Masters of Wisdom are the Specialists in the Truth that frees man? Why not call the attention of your friends to Their existence and Teachings? You would then become one of Their co-workers. Remember what the Master said to a disciple "Oh, Lanoo, seek him who in desolation sits in darkness, and show him the Law."

REVELATIONS

"Every great revelation is likely to have been foreshadowed in more or less imperfect forms so as to prepare our minds and make ready the way for complete perception hereafter."

—Sir Oliver Lodge

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"Coming events cast their shadows before..."

—Shakespeare

Whitsuntide

(June 1, 1952)

The Master Jesus desired to transfer to His Disciples the Powers of God Authority by which He had performed the miracles of healing which form the most conclusive evidence of His Divine Mission to the minds of men. He, therefore, raised his beautiful consciousness into the Heart of the Father, and removed from His Followers the Personal Presence, upon which they had come to lean... Knowing their anguish of spirit in the parting, He promises them... "I will pray the Father and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you forever; even the Spirit of Truth whom the world cannot receive; because it seeth Him not, neither knoweth Him, but ye know Him; for He dwelleth with you, AND SHALL BE IN YOU."

The disciples gathered together in the Upper Chamber (aspiring consciousness) after having witnessed the Ascension of Their Beloved Teacher, Master and Friend Even through the mist of thousands of years, we can faintly picturize the feeling within the disciples occasioned by that separation from the One who was the very Heart, Soul and Spirit of their individual and collective lives.

We can sense the inadequacy of their respective natures to cope with the manifold expressions of evil on every hand... But within their hearts, lived His Promise of the Coming Comforter, who would not only bind up their personal wounds of loss and helplessness, but would imbue them with the Fire, the Power, the Consciousness and the Purpose of Their Beloved Leader... It was to such a group, that the Great Maha Chohan came that first Whitsuntide Morning, and His Radiance was like unto Fire, and each man was "caught up" in the Flame of His Presence, and through the Infusing Spirit of the Divine Comforter, the Powers of the Holy Spirit became active through the faithful who had waited on His Coming, for Their Beloved Master had said it would come to pass "And if it were not so, I would have told you."

Today, each man again is raising his consciousness toward the "Sweet Anointing from Above," and today it is possible to have the kind assistance of the Representative of the Third Person of the Cosmic Trinity unite the individual consciousness of the aspirant with the Christ Powers, when such an invocation is sent upward in the name of the Ascended Jesus Christ, and everyman's Whitsuntide is a possible experience even while his body yet moves among the sons of men.

Beloved God Self: In the Name of the Master Jesus! Direct the Flaming Substance of the Maha Chohan's Fiery Benediction through my consciousness and that of all mankind. Empower us with the God Authority vested on the disciples that we may move forward "about Our Father's Business."

"CAN YE NOT DISCERN THE SIGNS OF THE TIMES" Jesus (Mat 16:3)

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ings. The Magnetic Pull of the Council draws many unconscious individuals, whose nature is constructive, but they are in a state of somnambulism and, although benefiting by the radiation and blessing, are unable to actively participate in the work of the Council for the benefit of the race. Any human being is FREE to present his own individual petitions to the Lords of Karma, which he sincerely believes would prove a blessing to the human race. It has been known to have such a request granted. If you are inclined toward presentation of an individual petition, it is wise to write it out beforehand, and impress it on your mind before going to the Meeting the nights when the Karmic Board are Presiding.

Some of the Masters' Petitions Presented in January

1. Dispensation to dissolve the mass-cause of war at inner levels.
2. Dispensation to grant gradual melting of polar ice caps before the tipping of the earth's axis, draining the water into the larger basin of the Pacific Ocean.
3. Dispensation to dissolve the cause, effect, record and memory of atomic warfare.
4. Petition to grant consecutive memory to incoming lifestreams pure enough to be the Builders of the New Age.
5. Petition to save England from sinking in the cataclysmic changes.

VENUS

By THOMAS PRINTZ

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In our previous article on Venus, some of the conditions under which the inhabitants of our Sister Planet live were described. In this article we will deal with old age and disintegration which are unknown there.

The citizen of Venus after being educated by the State is permitted to utilize his talents and gifts during the period of "world benefit" for the good of the entire citizenry. After the years of service, each is allowed to pursue such spiritual and cultural studies as his nature may choose.

Old age and disintegration are unknown, because there is no inharmony. At the time of passing from the screen of form, the individual utilizes the Power of the Fire element and, with the help of the Lords of the Flame, releases the atoms that made up his physical garments and his soul enters the inner Realms for a time, returning again at a self-chosen time and to a self-chosen family, for another embodiment and opportunity to complete the soul growth required before he is released from the wheel of birth and death and goes forth "to return no more"... The soul on this planet is not bound by karmic restrictions and is capable of exerting complete freedom in choosing the parents of a future birth.

These parents are often informed by the individual prior to his "death," and, if they acquiesce in his proposed embodiment, the individual may leave in their custody many of the treasures of his current life, his books and research papers, and—on assuming his "new" personality continues in an unbroken chain of consciousness to work out his own soul development or some great service to his planetary kin.

This, of course, greatly accelerates the individual progress of the soul as well as the high degree of culture and perfection for the State, for the great minds of one generation are not lost to succeding generations.

See the Master's Petition number four on this page, first column.

How and why great souls from Venus come to our earth and live among us as men and women, will be the subject of our next article.

Daily Work Sheet

Scientific Breathing

June 1952

> **"The Spirit of God hath made me, and the breath of the Almighty hath given me life."**
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> **—Job 33:4**

Visualization: Contemplate the Picture of the Maha Chohan, Feel the Holy Breath of God breathed into this universe and sustained as the atmosphere by the Rhythmic Inspiration and Exhalation of the Holy Spirit in His Cosmic Activity. **Then** connect your individual life breath with this Holy, Pure, Inspiration Cosmic Breath and draw its vitalizing spiritual energies into your lungs.

Feel this Fiery Breath expanding within your chest area and filling your individual soul with new life, aspiration, courage, and positive God will to fulfill your own divine design in this embodiment. **Then,** as you exhale, qualify the breath you are releasing into the universe with purity, blessing, love, mercy and Godliness instead of the poisons thrown off by your system.

When you have completed your individual contemplation, repeat the activity for every member of the human race.

As all individuals embodied on the earth share its breath and must participate in the general conditions of its atmosphere, inner as well as outer, there is a marvelous opportunity for treating the entire race by your individual conscious qualification of the universal blanket of air with God receptivity, and all the many God Qualities that will arise within your own mind as you proceed with this fundamental visualization.

Think and feel the following Statements, at least three times a day, while breathing as deeply as you can:

A) I Am inbreathing the Fiery Substance of the Holy Spirit, activated by His Flame, and **It is cleansing and energizing** now my mental, feeling and physical bodies.

I Am breathing out **Love and Gratitude** to the Creator of this Universe and His Messengers.

B) I Am inbreathing the electronic substance of unending peace, inexhaustible strength and health, and infinite supply, **now manifest in my being and world.**

I Am breathing out **peace, strength and health and supply** to all mankind and the Kingdom of Nature.

Next Month: **Your Spiritual Identity.**

THE TRANSYLVANIAN RETREAT

The World Radiation for the period between July 15 and August 14, will come through the Transylvanian Retreat. The Instruction on this activity will appear in our July issue.

"NOW IS THE JUDGMENT OF THIS WORLD:
NOW SHALL THE PRINCE OF THIS WORLD BE CAST OUT." —Jesus (John 12:31)